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SUBJECT: STEEL SCRAP EXPORT EMBARGO

REFS: (A) ORTIZ/KREBS TELCON OF NOVEMBER 9

1. ON NOVEMBER 8, EMBASSY TOLD BY FOREIGN OFFICE OFFICIAL THAT THEY UNABLE TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF RECENT USDOC OFFER TO LICENSE ADDITIONAL TONNAGE OF FERROUS SCRAP FOR EXPORT BECAUSE NOVEMBER 1ST DEADLINE ON ISSUANCE OF NEW LICENSES COULD NOT BE MET BY ARGENTINE STEEL INDUSTRY. ACCORDING TO GOA SOURCE, USG WILLING TO LICENSE NEW EXPORTS TO ARGENTINA BUT ONLY IF PURCHASE CONTRACTS WERE MADE AND REGISTERED PRIOR TO NOVEMBER 1, A CONDITION THAT OBVIOUSLY CANNOT BE MET.

2. PLEASE ADVISE IF GOA INFORMATION IS ACCURATE AND IF SO WHAT CAN BE DONE TO REMEDY PROBLEM.

3. IF THE USG IS TO RESPOND TO ARGENTINE SCRAP NEEDS IT APPEARS WE MUST A) CONFIRM EXISTENCE AND AVAILABILITY AND LOCATION OF 70,000 TONS ON WEST COAST WHICH WE HAVE ALREADY OFFERED AND WHICH ARGENTINES TELL US THEY HAVE UNSUCCESSFULLY ATTEMPTED TO LOCATE, AND B) ASSURE ARGENTINES THAT USDOC WILL REGISTER CONTRACT AND PROVIDE EXPORT LICENSE FOR ADDITIONAL TONNAGES OFFERED WITH NOVEMBER 1ST DEADLINE WITHOUT RELATION TO A DEADLINE.

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